

Message Text

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 01 BUCAR 01179 081526Z

54

ACTION EUR-12

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 EB-07 /020 W
----- 043276

R 081350Z MAR 76
FM AMEMBASSY BUCHAREST
TO USDOC WASHDC
INFO SECSTATE WASHDC 6879
AMEMBASSY VIENNA

UNCLAS BUCHAREST 1179

USDOC FOR BEWT/TDAD
VIENNA FOR EWTDC

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: BTIO RO

SUBJECT: ROMANIAN INQUIRY FOR LIGHTNING WARNING EQUIPMENT

1. FTO TEHNOIMPORT HAS ASKED EMBASSY FOR ASSISTANCE IN LOCATING MANUFACTURER OF ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT TO WARN AGAINST ELECTRICALLY-CHARGED CLOUDS. GOR NEEDS IT FOR PROTECTING SURFACE LIGNITE MINES FROM PREMATURE DYNAMITE EXPLOSIONS TOUCHED OFF BY LIGHTNING. THERE HAVE BEEN SERIOUS ACCIDENTS INVOLVING LOSS OF LIFE QUOTE HERE AND IN OTHER COUNTRIES AND QUOTE. EQUIPMENT SHOULD BE ABLE TO DETECT ELECTRICALLY-CHARGED CLOUDS AT A RADIUS OF 25 KILOMETERS FROM THE MINE.

2. TEHNOIMPORT HAS NOT BOUGHT SUCH EQUIPMENT BEFORE AND HAS LITTLE IDEA OF WHAT MIGHT BE AVAILABLE. THEY HAD HEARD THAT SUCH EQUIPMENT MIGHT BE AVAILABLE FROM A SWEDISH FIRM, NITRONOBEL, BUT BELIEVE THAT IT IS MANUFACTURED EITHER BY THIS FIRM OR OTHERS IN THE US.

3. PLEASE LET US KNOW WHETHER THERE ARE ANY US SUPPLIERS IN THIS FIELD. IF SO, COMPANIES MAY WISH TO CONTACT TEHNOIMPORT DIRECTLY, STR. DOAMNEI 5, BUCHAREST, TELEPHONE 16-45-70, TELEX 011-254, ATTN: MR CRISTACHE PAUN.
VIETS

UNCLASSIFIED

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: n/a
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 08 MAR 1976
Decaption Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: n/a
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: n/a
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment:
Disposition Date: 01 JAN 1960
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1976BUCHAR01179
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: N/A
Errors: N/A
Film Number: D760087-0661
From: BUCHAREST
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1976/newtext/t19760385/aaaacxhd.tel
Line Count: 52
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM
Office: ACTION EUR
Original Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 1
Previous Channel Indicators: n/a
Previous Classification: n/a
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: n/a
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: ShawDG
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 27 AUG 2004
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <27 AUG 2004 by meiwc>; APPROVED <03 DEC 2004 by ShawDG>
Review Markings:

Margaret P. Grafeld
Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
04 MAY 2006

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: ROMANIAN INQUIRY FOR LIGHTNING WARNING EQUIPMENT
TAGS: BTIO, RO
To: COM
Type: TE
Markings: Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 04 MAY 2006